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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Kalatz et al.

Application No.: 09/711,855

Group No.: 1631

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Examiner: Sheinberg, M.

For: System for the Extrapolation of Glucose Concentration

AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed September 13, 2001, a three-month extension of time, entry of the following amendments and consideration of the accompanying remarks is respectfully requested.

In the Claims

Please amend claims 2-5, 12, and 32-35. The amended claims are set forth in the attached Clean Version of Replacement Claims for Entry During Prosecution of US Application No. 09/711,855, as well as a Version with Markings to Show Changes Made.

REMARKS

Claims 1-10, 12, and 32-37 are pending in the present application.

A request for corrected filing receipt was filed in the Patent Office on June 12, 2001, requesting correction of the filing date. The present application, which claimed priority under 35 USC 119 to a prior filed German application 199 55 734.9, was filed via Express Mail to the U.S. Patent Office on November 13, 2000. The application, however, was assigned a April 2001 filing date. Correction of the filing date is again hereby requested.

A Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is submitted herewith.

Claims 4, 5, and 32 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph as being indefinite. Specifically, the rejection proffers that the manner of use of the term "contains" is unclear. Claim 4 has been amended to clarify that X is equal to GB.

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